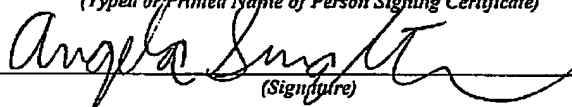
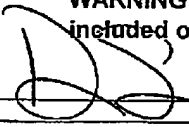
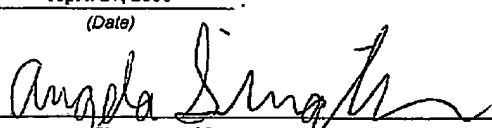


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This submission is in response to the Office Action dated January 27, 2006. Please amend the Application as follows.